Writing Analysis Strategy: Part II: Holistic Analysis

Quickly look over the entire project. In each box write the genre of each piece and the type of information it appears the writer has chosen to include. Do you think each genre is appropriate for the audience and purpose? Please explain for each.

Genre

Interview

Genre

Top 10

Genre

Obituary

Genre

Magazine Cover

Genre

Diary Entry

Genre

Trading Cards

Does the project have unity?

Yes

Can you see how the writer created cohesion among the pieces? If so, how?

Topic: Car Racing

Purpose: Teach others car racing

Audience: those interested in cars

Genre

Academic Journal

Genre

Genre

Genre

Genre

Magazine Article

Genre

The author created cohesion by relating every page a different article that had to do with the same topic; racing safety.

If you cannot detect how this was done immediately, how do you think cohesion might be created in a topic like this?

1. n/a

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